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TAGS: ETRD, GSP

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR BACKUP INFORMATION ON HOST COUNTRIES
GSP SCHEME

REF: STATE 222799

1. AS REPORTED IN REFTEL POST IS ASKED TO REVIEW IN ORDER
TO COMMENT AND SUPPLEMENT INFORMATION AVAILABLE ON GSP
SCHEME OF HOST COUNTRY.

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2. THE BASIC FEATURES OF THE SCHEME ARE:

PRODUCT COVERAGE: INCLUDES 76 BTN HEADINGS IN BTN 1-24 PLUS ALL DUTIABLE INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS IN BTN 25-99 WITH THE EXCEPTION OF PETROLEUM OILS AND GASES, GELATIN, ARTICLE OF APPAREL, PLYWOOD, SILK AND FOOTWEAR.

DEPTH OF TARIFF CUTS: VARIOUS DUTY REDUCTIONS OR AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS. DUTY-FREE TREATMENT FOR ALL ELIGIBLE INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS WITH THE EXCEPTION OF SELECTED PRODUCTS IN 47 BTN HEADINGS FOR WHICH TARIFF REDUCTIONS OF 50 PERCENT ARE APPLIED.

SAFEGUARD MECHANISM: A PRIORI LIMITATION FOR PRODUCTS IN BTN 25-99. ESCAPE CLAUSE IS APPLIED TO ALL PRODUCTS.

LIMITATIONS ON ELIGIBLE PRODUCTS: MAXIMUM AMOUNT LIMITATION APPLICABLE TO ALL INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS. SINGLE BENEFICIARY IMPORTS LIMITED TO 50 PERCENT OF MAXIMUM AMOUNT.

BENEFICIARIES: 138 LDC'S AND TERRITORIES, INCLUDING ALL OF THE GROUP OF 77. KISSINGER

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